

사람 코점막 배세포에서 MUC5AC mRNA의 발현 양상

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Expression of MUC5AC mRNA in the Goblet Cells of Human Nasal Mucosa

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ABSTRACT

Background and Objectives : Mucus hypersecretion is a common feature in chronic sinusitis with polyps. Since mucus hypersecretion is commonly accompanied by goblet cell hyperplasia, it is important to identify which mucin gene mRNAs are expressed in the goblet cells of the surface epithelium in the human airway. This study aims to investigate the pattern of expression of MUC5AC mRNA in the goblet cells of human nasal mucosa. **Materials and Methods** : Six nasal polyps, five inferior turbinate mucosa specimens, and three normal-appearing mucosa specimens of the posterior ethmoid sinus were obtained. Each of the specimens were cut into 10 µm-thick serial frozen sections and *in situ* hybridization of MUC5AC mRNA was performed with an oligonucleotide probe. Alcian blue (pH 2.5)-periodic acid-Schiff staining was performed on the serial sections. **Results** : In human nasal polyps, MUC5AC mRNA was expressed in the cytoplasm of most of the goblet cells. However, in the inferior turbinate, MUC5AC mRNA was expressed in only some of the goblet cells. On the contrary, in the normal appearing mucosa of the posterior ethmoid sinus, MUC5AC mRNA was barely expressed in the goblet cells. Furthermore, MUC5AC mRNA was mainly expressed in some of the PAS-positive goblet cells. **Conclusion** : Only a portion of the goblet cells in the human nasal mucosa expressed MUC5AC mRNA. This result suggests that surface goblet cells might have other mucin genes in addition to MUC2 and MUC5AC. (**Korean J Otolaryngol 2001;44:388-91**)

KEY WORDS : MUC5AC mRNA · Goblet cell · Human nasal mucosa.

12 (MUC1 - 4, MUC5AC, MU -
C5B, MUC6 - 8, MUC9, MUC11, MUC12)가
,¹⁻⁴⁾ MUC2, MUC5AC, MUC5B, MUC6,
MUC7, MUC8
(hy - , MUC1, MUC3, MUC4
persecretion) . MUC9 , MUC11
MUC12³⁾⁴⁾
(goblet cell)
(hyperplasia) , MUC5AC³⁾ MUC5B⁴⁾
mRNA가 , MUC5AC MUC2¹⁾³⁻⁵⁾
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Buisine⁶⁾ MUC5AC mRNAs Kim
7) PAS (RT - PCR)

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MUC5AC mRNA 가 chloride(NBT) 5 - bromo - 4 - chloro - 3 - indolylphosphate(BCIP)

MUC5AC mRNA가 가

MUC5AC mRNA Alcian blue(AB ; pH 2.5) - periodic acid - schiff(PAS)

alcian blue(AB, pH2.5) - periodic acid - Schiff(PAS) MUC5AC *in situ* hybridization acid 3 3% glacial acetic alcian blue(pH 2.5)(Muto chemicals, Japan) 40 0.5% periodic acid(Fisher scientific, USA) 5 Schiff (Sigma Co., USA) 10 Harriss hematoxylin

(cystic fibrosis)

MUC5AC mRNA가 (Fig. 1).

MUC5AC mRNA가 (Fig. 2).

MUC5AC mRNA가 (Fig. 3).

MUC5AC mRNA in situ hybridization

4% (paraformaldehyde) 4

24 12% sucrose 18%

sucrose (immersion)

10 μ m poly - b mucosal gland) 가

L - lysine MUC5AC , AB - PAS lectin

oligonucleotide terminal transferase tailing reaction dATP tailing reaction 37 15 MUC5AC oligonucleotide probe

(EMBL Accession number Z34277 : 5 'AGGGGC - AGAAGTTGTGCTGGTTGTGGGAGCAGAGGTTGTG CTGGTTGT 3').

4% 30 AB - PAS

, 1 μ g/ml DIG - labeled cRNA가 hybridization

56 50% formamide, 5 \times SSC, 40 μ g/ml ssDNA . AB PAS

2 \times SSC 0.1 \times SSC 1 가 가

anti - DIG Fab

nitroblue tetrazolium

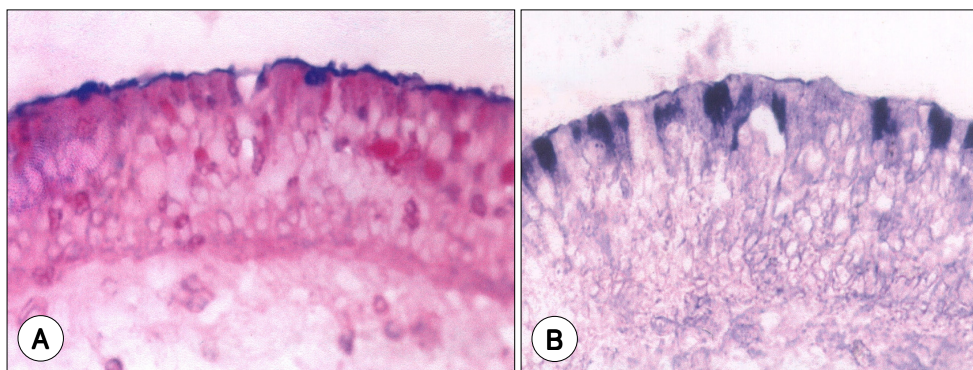


Fig. 1. Alcian blue-periodic acid-Schiff staining (A) and *in situ* hybridization of the MUC5AC mRNA (B) of the human nasal polyp. MUC5AC mRNA was expressed in the cytoplasm of most of PAS-positive goblet cells.

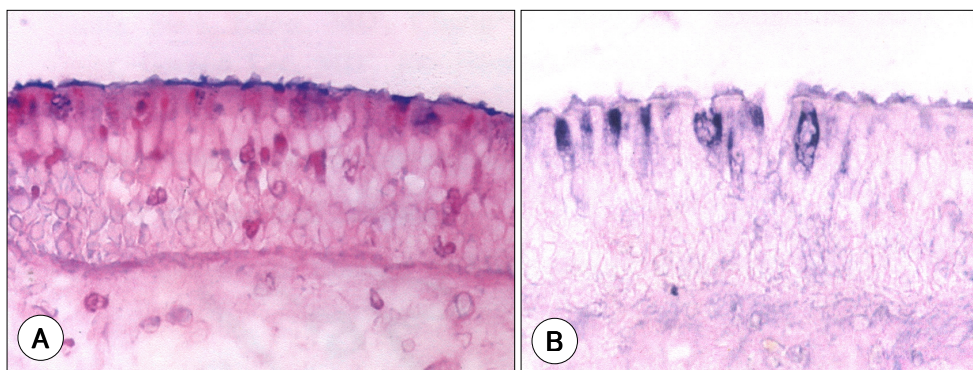


Fig. 2. Alcian blue-periodic acid-Schiff staining (A) and *in situ* hybridization of the MUC5AC mRNA (B) of the inferior turbinate mucosa. MUC5AC mRNA was expressed in only some of the PAS-positive goblet cells.

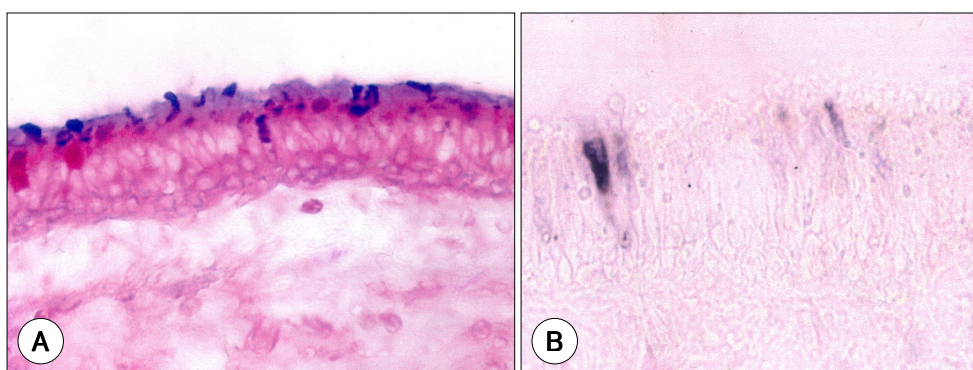


Fig. 3. Alcian blue-periodic acid-Schiff staining (A) and *in situ* hybridization of the MUC5AC mRNA (B) in the normal-appearing mucosa of the posterior ethmoid sinus. MUC5AC mRNA was barely expressed in the goblet cells.

(localization) , MUC5AC mRNA

in situ hybridization , AB -

PAS MUC5AC mRNA , MU -

MUC5AC mRNA가 C5AC mRNA PAS

AB MUC5AC

(pH 2.5) - PAS *in situ* hybridization 가

MUC5AC mRNA가 PAS

AB MUC5AC mR -

MUC5AC mRNA가 MU -

NA가

C5AC mRNA가

6)10) 가

MUC5AC mRNA가 MUC5AC

mRNA가

가 ,

가

MUC5AC mRNA가 ,

MUC5AC mRNA가 MUC5AC mRNA가 ,

MUC5AC mRNA가 IL - 4,¹¹⁾ neutrophil elastase,¹²⁾ acrolein,¹³⁾ endotoxins, IL - 9¹⁵⁾가

, MUC5AC mRNA

PAS ,

, PAS MUC5AC가 가

MUC5AC mRNA PAS

MUC2 MUC5AC가

: MUC5AC mRNA .

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